

KENTUCKY PRESS ASSOCIATION

City Business Men and Rural Writers Agree on Development Issues.

MUCH INTERESTING SHOP TALK AT THE MID-WINTER SESSION.

The mid-winter business meeting of the Kentucky Press Association was held at Louisville Friday and Saturday of last week, January 6 and 7 and was greatly enjoyed by a number of its members who take kindly to that branch of association work. It was a disappointment from the view point of a starting place for a jaunt. Because of business reasons there were only a few newspaper men who could take the proposed delightful trip to Florida and Cuba. And these decided to remain at home rather than make the trip in so small a party.

The program as announced last week was carried out, with the exception of the absence of two or three papers, but with the addition of some extra features of entertainment at the hands of Louisville business men and friends.

The business meetings were held in the Council Chamber at City Hall and the association was welcomed by Acting Mayor Paul C. Barth. Several papers were read and discussed at the first session Friday afternoon and invitations were accepted from Secretary J. C. Van Pelt, of the Commercial Club, to take luncheon Saturday with the officers of that body, and from Manager John T. Macauley to see Mr. Tim Murphy at Macauley's Theatre Friday evening.

President Louis Landrum read, at the Friday session, his address containing valuable suggestions for the future guidance of association work.

Saturday morning's meeting was crowded full of good things and made so interesting that the association could hardly adjourn in time for luncheon with their friends of the Commercial Club, of which all of the association are honorary members.

At the Saturday session the extra legislative session was discussed, and the question of a new capital building was generally endorsed by individual members but the association declined to commit itself on a resolution endorsing the extra session and asking for a new site, for the reason that it was not considered wise to commit the association upon questions about which individual members might hold dissenting views.

Important resolutions were offered by President Landrum at the Friday session and unanimously adopted by the association, pledging the association to the material development of Kentucky and the exploitation of the importance and advisability of Louisville as a wholesale market for merchants of Kentucky.

W. R. Belknap, for his hard-ware firm, gave to each of the newspaper representatives at the luncheon at Louisville Hotel on Saturday, a beautiful little pocket knife which he said would not out friendship but intimated it would work all right on the other fellow's plug of chewing tobacco.

One of the association's most active members, Mr. Swift Champ, of Paris, was stricken with threatened appendicitis Friday evening and was yet unable to travel late Saturday afternoon. The attack was then passing and the doctor said he would recover.

GIDEONS MEET AT HOPKINSVILLE

All Churches Occupied Sunday by Christian Drummers.

The second State Convention of the Kentucky Gideons met at Hopkinsville Saturday night says the Kentuckian. Many prominent members of the order were present to take in the proceedings. A "camp fire," presided over by J. M. Robbins, of Jackson, Tenn., was kindled by Geo. L. Masters, of Evansville, at the Episcopal church. Sunday morning at 7 o'clock there was a prayer and praise meeting at the Cumberland Presbyterian church. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock all the local pulpits were filled by Gideons. In the afternoon there was a young peoples' meeting at the Methodist church and a men's mass meeting at the Christian church, and at night union service at the Tabernacle. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, L. B. Manson, of Louisville; Vice-President, R. M. Smith, of Shelbyville; Secretary and Treasurer, Abner Johnson, of Madisonville.

Charles H. Palmer, of Chicago, National Superintendent of Gideons, presided at the business meeting.

W. W. ARMER

Given a Sentence of Twenty-One Years for Slaying His Son Near Calhoun Last May.

A special from Owensboro, Ky., dated Jan. 7th says:

"We, the jury, find the defendant, W. W. Armer, guilty of manslaughter and fix his punishment at twenty-one years in the penitentiary."

The verdict was a compromise. On the first ballot nine of the jurors were for a life sentence and three for twenty-one years. After three hours of arguing among themselves the three men won the nine over to their way of thinking.

The crime for which Armer was convicted was an atrocious one. On a May afternoon he went to a field after finishing making a pastoral call and demanded that his seventeen-year-old boy stop work and come with him. The boy asked to be allowed to finish the work. This enraged the father, who seized a brakebeam and struck him a violent blow over the head, felling him to the ground and crushing his skull. The father then dragged the boy to a buggy and placed him upright in it. He tied him up in the buggy, and as the vehicle jolted along over the rough roads the almost lifeless body would slip down. The preacher would reach down and pull the body in position by the hair. He did not think the boy was seriously hurt. When the facts in the case became known Armer was arrested and lodged in jail at Calhoun. He remained there one night and, then was hurried to Owensboro to avoid a mob. His home is near Grayville, Ill. He has lived in Kentucky for about two years.

Crutchfield-Rodgers.

Mrs. Sammie Crutchfield and Mr. H. W. Rodgers were married yesterday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. M. K. Gordon, of Madisonville, the Rev. Howard J. Brazelton performing the ceremony in his usual impressive manner. The ceremony was a quiet one, only a few intimate friends being present. After the ceremony an elaborate supper was given by Mrs. Gordon, after which they were driven to Earlinton. Mr. Rodgers is a popular young business man of this city and Mrs. Crutchfield is one of Earlinton's best women.

WARNER CAMPBELL DEAD

Engine Turned Over on Him on Denver & Rio Grande.

WAS BURIED BY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Warner Campbell was killed by the overturning of his engine in a wreck on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad near Chama, N. M., late Saturday night or early Sunday morning.

The first news of the sad accident that reached here came to the Knights Templar Sunday evening in a telegram signed "H. L. Moore" from Chama which read:

"Brother Warner Campbell killed at an early hour this morning by engine turning over. Remains turned over to Rio Grande Commandery No. 18, Alamosa, Col."

The news was a shock to the many sincere friends of Warner Campbell here who loved him as a brother and had delighted to see him ever so briefly, on his occasional visit from the west, since he left Kentucky, or to catch something of his cheery spirit from his occasional letters.

The later news confirmed the first telegram but gave no further details of the fatal accident. It was learned that every detail was being handled with prompt and careful interest by the western friends of the deceased, with the complete cooperation of the officials of the railroad for which he had worked.

The body was taken by the Knights Templar to Alamosa and started from there on its long journey home in charge of a friend named Wright, who is also an engineer on the D. & R. G. A telegram from Supt. Lee, of that road, announced this arrangement, the start being made from Alamosa Monday night.

The deceased was about 35 years old, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Campbell, of Hopkinsville, and a brother of Will E. Campbell, of that place. He was formerly for some years an engineer on the Henderson division of the Louisville & Nashville railroad and universally popular man with many sincere friends. He was a member of St. Bernard Commandery No. 29 Knights Templar, of that place, and was also a member of the Elks and other benevolent societies.

Mr. F. B. Arnold, Eminent Commander of St. Bernard Commandery, and other Earlinton Sir Knights conferred with the family and friends of the deceased and arrangements were completed for the funeral. By request of Commander Arnold Moore Commandery of Hopkinsville will conduct the funeral services assisted by a delegation from St. Bernard Commandery who will go from here as an escort to the deceased upon arrival of the remains, which are expected on the early train this morning.

Flinched Again.

A jolly party of friends met at the residence of Mrs. Harriet Browning on Main street Saturday night and indulged in the popular game of Flinch when was played until late hour, when delightful refreshments were served and enjoyed. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coyle, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGarr, Misses Annie Ashby, Annie Moore and Georgia Wyatt, Messrs. Tom and Ed Trahern and John Long.

WILL DIE TOMORROW.

Unless Gov. Beckham Grants Respite.

George Holland, the old negro whose sentence of death for complicity in the murder of an unknown white man near Pembroke in November, 1903, was recently affirmed by the Court of Appeals, will be hung tomorrow unless Gov. Beckham grants a respite.

When the execution takes place it is probable that the death room of the new jail, which is fitted with trap door, etc., will be used instead of having a scaffold built in the jail yard.

Holland has now been in jail more than a year, and is the only one of the nine negroes charged with the crime whose sentence of death has been affirmed. Of course the other three convicted and sentenced by this court to pay the death penalty one, Charles Finch, was granted a new trial, and the cases of the other two, Frank Meriwether and Dick Carney, were reversed by the Court of Appeals. The strain has told heavily upon the old negro, and although he has been buoyed up by hopes that something would interfere in his behalf and keep him from being hung, he now seems to have given up hope and spends a considerable portion of his time in making his spiritual peace.

NEW RURAL ROUTES

To be Established in Kentucky Feb. 15th.

The following new rural free delivery will be established February 15th:

Dawson Springs, Hopkins county, area covered thirty-two square miles, population served 736.

Hickory Grove, Graves county, area covered twenty-five square miles, population served 585.

Manitou, Hopkins county, area covered twenty-one square miles, population served 400.

Mayfield, Graves county, area covered seventy-four square miles, population served 2,084.

Murray, Calloway county, area covered nineteen square miles, population served 432.

Seabrook, Webster county, area covered thirty-five square miles, population served 880.

Water Valley, Graves county, area covered twenty-one square miles, population served 455.

Birthday Surprise.

Wednesday, January 4th, was the eighteenth birthday of Jewell Webb, the popular young son of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Webb, and his mother prepared a pleasant surprise for him by inviting a number of his friends to spend the evening.

The house was tastefully decorated with holly, and the table presented a lovely appearance with a wreath of holly extending the entire length and the birthday cake in the center containing eighteen candles.

The evening was spent in playing games and in merry conversation. At 10:30 the dining room was thrown open and delicious refreshments served. In cutting the birthday cake, the ring and needle fell to Miss Lillie Evans and the money to Howard J. Brazelton. Many useful presents were brought, for which Jewell is profoundly grateful.

Those present were: Misses, Dean, Rule, Rootz, Evans, Rice and Edmondson; Messrs. Cowell, Baynham, Maloney, Hooser, Barnett, White, Coward and Fenwick.

Mrs. Webb was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Howard J. Brazelton and Miss Annie Rice.

HARGIS AND CALLAHAN.

Damages of \$8,000 Given in Marcum Suit at Winchester.

THREATEN CRIMINAL PROSECUTION.

Winchester, Ky., Jan. 10.—The jury in the Marcum damage case returned a verdict for \$8,000 against Jas. Hargis and Ed Callahan jointly and exonerated Alex. Hargis and B. F. French from any connection with the alleged conspiracy to kill James B. Marcum. The plaintiff will appeal from the judgment in favor of Alex. Hargis and B. F. French, and the defendants, James Hargis and Ed Callahan, will probably appeal from the verdict against them.

It is announced that the defendants will now be indicted on charge of conspiracy for the death of James B. Marcum and that they will be prosecuted on this charge.

Open Letter.

To the Republicans of Kentucky: Colonels, Office-seekers and Gentlemen:—You know that our State has a reputation, good or bad, depending entirely on the standpoint from which it is viewed. More is expected from us than any other people in the world, for good or bad, one of the other, or both. When we go away from home our personal appearances attract more attention than any other people.

Now I propose that we redeem the State. My plan is this: We are all going to the inauguration March 4th—the Colonels, the Office-seekers and the Gentlemen. Let us all be Colonels for that day, and join in the parade, attired in black frock coat, black slouch hat, each Colonel carrying a stick, out from a Kentucky forest. "A Big Stick."

If this proposition meets with favor, we can arrange with the Kentucky Colonels, Office holders and Gentlemen, that are now in Washington, to secure Kentucky headquarters.

What say you?

Very Truly,

R. R. PERRY,

Winchester, Ky.

JOHN B. WALKER

Crosses the Silent River at the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley.

Col. Jno. B. Walker, formerly of Madisonville, died at the Confederate home at Pewee Valley last week of heart trouble aged eighty-five years.

Col. Walker was well known in this county. The title of colonel was bestowed on Mr. Walker by Governor Luke P. Blackburn, while he was serving on the Governor's staff. He was a native of Pennsylvania, but moved to Madisonville before the war and was a frequent contributor of articles on the slavery question to the Louisville Journal before that paper was merged with the Courier-Journal.

He enlisted at the outbreak of the war in Foley's Cavalry with a Kentucky regiment and served throughout the war. The remains of Col. Walker were brought to Madisonville Thursday on train No. 52 and interred at the Odd Fellows' cemetery under the auspices of Confederate Camp No. 528.

Y. Q. Walker, of this place, is a grandson of the deceased. Several friends from Earlinton attended the funeral.

ASSESSMENT OF RAILROAD PROPERTY

In Hopkins County in Round Numbers Amounts to \$1,440,050.

The assessment of railroad property in Hopkins county as certified by the railroad commissioners, and is as follows:

The Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co., Henderson Division, is assessed on 27.72 miles of track at the rate of \$33,000 per mile, \$914,700; other property \$9,800, a total of 924,500.

The same company assessed on 14.50 miles of track on Providence branch at the rate of \$6,000 per mile, \$87,000; other property, \$1,250, a total of \$88,250. A grand total on both roads of \$1,012,810.

The Illinois Central railroad company assessed on 22.26 miles of track at the rate of \$19,000 per mile, \$422,940; other property, \$4,300. A total of \$427,240.

The total assessment for both railroads amounts to \$1,440,050. The railroad on their tangible property as shown above and on their franchise, which is listed separately, pay about \$6000 in taxes into the treasury of Hopkins county this year.

GAIN FOR INDIANA.

Shifting of Ohio River Bed Takes Land From Kentucky.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 6.—By the changing of the channel of the Ohio river, a few miles below here, the Indiana side has gained seventeen acres at the expense of Kentucky. There are four farms in Union township, this county, that belong to the seminary funds, and the money derived from the rental of these farms each year is turned into the school funds of the State. Heretofore the farms have contained seventy acres each. They have just been rented for another year, and a new survey was made. The survey showed seventy-four acres each in two of the farms, seventy-six in another and seventy-three in another, making a gain of seventeen acres. The farms lie along the river bank, that for several years has been extending farther out into the river, the Kentucky bank gradually washing away.

Christian Church.

At a meeting of the ladies of the church last Wednesday afternoon a Ladies' Aid was formed and the following officers selected: President, Mrs. H. L. Browning; Vice President, Mrs. T. R. Browning; Secretary, Miss Lucile Crenshaw; Treasurer, Mrs. S. E. Stevens. Meeting will be held each Wednesday afternoon at the homes of the members. The meeting this week was with Mrs. Stevens.

Arrangements are about completed for extensive improvements of the church building. The building will be raised about four feet, and a basement constructed containing baptistry and robing rooms. It will also be used for a Sunday school room, the present pews being used, these being replaced by circular oak pews that have already been contracted for.

The Ladies' Auxiliary C. W. B. M. are arranging a special meeting for Feb. 6, to which they have invited the ladies of all the churches and the Auxiliary of the Madisonville church. The program will consist of special music, Scripture reading, prayers and papers. A social session will follow the program.

Germany exported 34,717 tons of toys valued at \$14,000,000 in 1904.

Salt Lake City is building a \$1,000,000 water works.

Ayer's

Don't try cheap cough medicines. Get the best, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. What a record it has, sixty years of

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cures! Ask your doctor if he doesn't use it for coughs, colds, bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles.

"I have found that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best medicine I ever used for coughs, colds, bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles."—J. C. LORAN, M.D., Boston, N.Y.

Prepared by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., U.S.A.

Bronchitis

Correct any tendency to croup or asthma with small doses of Ayer's Pills.

SHORT LOCALS

Mr. Verner Rich is improving rapidly.

Rev. J. E. King, who was quite ill Sunday and Monday, is improving.

Mr. Harvey Rich and family will move to Madisonville in the near future.

Born, Tuesday, January 10, at 5 p. m., to Chas. W. Webb and wife, a son, Chas. W., Jr.

The Ladies' Fringe Club met with Mrs. A. O. Sick Saturday afternoon and were delightfully entertained.

There was quite a heavy fall of the beautiful Monday and the sound of sleigh bells were heard in the burg Tuesday.

Mr. Hall Harrison, who has been afflicted with rheumatism for several weeks, has gone to his home at Portland, Tenn., and if not soon relieved will go to Hot Springs.

Found—On the street near J. L. Rash's residence, one gold ring. Owner can have same by calling at this office describing ring and paying for this ad.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Broth Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

The young people of Earlington are taking advantage of the recent fall of snow to coast down the pasture hill. A large party of possibly one hundred people enjoyed themselves Saturday evening in this exhilarating pastime.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Branelton and baby leave Tuesday, the 17th, for a ten days visit to the former's sister at Palestine, Texas. They go via St. Louis and the Cotton Belt Route. In his absence the pulpit of the Christian church will be filled by W. J. Hudspeth, Evangelist for South Kentucky Missions.

A letter from Mr. Geo. C. Atkinson, who is visiting relatives and friends in Philadelphia and in New Jersey says he has seen, since leaving Kentucky ten days ago, more winter than he has experienced for years. He will spend some days there before returning home.

"Weary Willie Walker," a sensation comedy drama by Owen Davis, author of "Through the Breakers," "Lost in the Desert," etc., will be the attraction at the Temple Theatre Thursday, Jan. 12. The play will be given with new appropriate scenery and by a company selected especially for the production of this piece. PRICES, 25-35-50c.

Mr. Wm. S. Crane, of California, Md., suffered for years from rheumatism and lameness. He was finally advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which he did and it effected a complete cure.

For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; J. B. Richardson, Mortons Gap; Jno. X. Taylor, Earlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pontious, of Oakland, Cal., who have been visiting in Madisonville and Nebo for the past ten days, spent Tuesday here visiting their relatives, Mrs. Jennie E. Moore and family and Paul M. Moore and family. Mrs. Pontious is a daughter of Dr. W. T. McNary, formerly of Nebo. Mr. and Mrs. Pontious leave this afternoon for their home in California.

Care of Thinks.

We also wish to extend our thanks for the kindness shown during the death and burial of our son and brother, William Peyton, and pray God's richest blessings on all.

HIS FATHER, MOTHER AND BROTHERS.

Mrs. Lula M. Harves, of Johnston City, Ill., has been visiting friends and relatives in this city and Barnesley the past week. Mrs. Harves thinks Illinois and Texas are all right, but not quite as good as the "old Kentucky home." She will return home in a few days and resume her work as operator in the J. C. Independent exchange office.

The candy pulling at Armory Hall Friday night given by the white ribbon side of the League to the yellow was a success in every way. Plenty of candy, plenty of games and plenty of fun for young and old. Three of the most conspicuous figures were Willie Randolph, Jimmie Montague and Timmy. These little fellows took the bashful lead the games and it is hard to tell which one deserved the most candy.

Since the passage of the new law by the last legislature that all livery stables should keep a register several of the liverymen have had register books made at the office. This is one of the best and easiest way of keeping a complete record and the men who have already received the books are well pleased with them. We have the form standing and all can order on short notice. Any other liverymen wishing five of these books can obtain them reasonably by applying to or writing The Earlington Bee.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

LUCAS COUNTY,

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm were the publishers of the "HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure." FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

(SEAL) A. W. GLEASON,

Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, etc.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. J. W. Lester returned home Thursday from Benton, Ill., after a pleasant visit of a day with relatives. He helped to build the court house at that place in 1878 and says the town has changed so much that it doesn't look natural. His mother who lives there is 69 years old and her hair still retains its original black color. He was born and reared about 18 miles from Benton, which has since become Johnson City and now has over 5,000 inhabitants.

An Excellent School.

Madisonville Normal and Training School opened Jan. 16, 1895. Latest and best methods of instruction. Able and experienced teachers. Great opportunities. Don't miss them. Excellent High School open to all. County and State certificate courses a specialty. The shortest road to a good certificate and successful school work next year. One of the very best graded schools in the state before. "He who runs may read." Enthusiasm and good fellowship rife. High aspirations awakened by the very atmosphere. Come! Come and let us do you good. Tuition, High School \$4.00, Normal \$5.00 per month. Board reasonable. Address: GEO. W. CHAPMAN, Supt. J. T. ALEXANDER, Sec.

"The Crisis."

From present indications the engagement of Nannette Constock to Winston Churchill's dramatization of his successful novel "The Crisis" at Morton's Theatre on Jan. 17th, bids fair to be one of the most important events of the local theatrical season, both from an artistic and social viewpoint.

Unlike most plays, built upon a serious plot "The Crisis" is developed entirely along comedy lines, the author's touch in constructing his play was as light and dainty as that of the stars who will interpret the leading character.

"Do It Today."

The time-worn injunction, "Never put off 'til to-morrow what you can do to-day." That is the terse advice we want to give you about that hacking cough or demoralizing cold with which you have been struggling for several days, perhaps weeks. Take some reliable remedy at once. Dr. Rosch's German Syrup, which has been in use for over thirty-five years, a few doses of it will undoubtedly relieve your cough or cold, and its continued use for a few days will cure you completely. No matter how deep seated your cough, even if dread consumption has attacked your lungs, German Syrup will surely effect a cure—as it has done before in thousands of apparently hopeless cases of lung trouble. New trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 50c. At all druggists.

How Are Your Kidneys? Dr. H. H. Thompson's Kidney Pills. Get Dr. H. H. Thompson's Kidney Pills. Get Dr. H. H. Thompson's Kidney Pills.

PERSONALS

Mrs. T. B. Jones, of Madisonville, visited relatives here last Thursday. Miss Dora Witherspoon, of Madisonville, visited friends here last week.

Will C. Morton, of Madisonville, was in the city Friday.

Carl Hibbs, of Madisonville, spent Friday afternoon here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gordon, Jr., spent Friday in Madisonville.

Mrs. Sammie Crutchfield visited in Madisonville Friday.

Mr. Kirby Gordon, of Madisonville, was here on business Friday.

Mrs. W. A. Nisbet visited her daughter, Mrs. Crutchfield, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vandell Walker, Mrs. Geo. Atkinson and Mrs. P. B. Davis attended the funeral of Mr. Jno. B. Walker in Madisonville last Thursday.

Miss Celeste Moore visited friends in Madisonville Tuesday.

Mrs. Paul M. Moore and sons, John and Paul, Jr., visited friends in Nashville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Black, of Evansville, spent last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Atkinson. They will locate here in the near future.

Paul M. Moore was in Louisville Friday to attend the mid-winter Press Association.

Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips and daughter, Mrs. Maud, were shopping in Madisonville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bramwell, of Nashville, were here this week visiting their son, W. S. Bramwell, and family.

Esq. Frank Sink, of near this place, was in Madisonville Monday on business.

James Maloney, of Earlington, was in Madisonville Monday.

Dr. B. L. Bone, of Madisonville, was here Saturday.

Buck Shaver was in Madisonville Monday on business.

Wilson Borders, of St. Louis, is here visiting his friends.

Mrs. Mollie Griggs, of Central City, is visiting friends in Earlington on this week.

Miss Ida Griggs and little sister, Georgia, are visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. Mary Stone spent last week visiting relatives and friends in the Grapevine country.

Claud Stone visited friends in the country Sunday.

Miss Lucy Merrill, of the Grapevine country, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mary Stone.

Miss Lena Merrill returned home Wednesday after two weeks' visit to her aunt, Mrs. Mary Stone.

Miss Etta Schlamp, of Henderson, who has been visiting the family of Mr. Harvey Rich for several weeks, returned home Monday.

Miss Rosa Schellert, graduate nurse of Evansville, Ind., has accepted the position as hospital nurse here and came Tuesday to begin her duties.

W. W. Lee, of Princeton, Ky., is off a few days visiting friends and relatives here and at Baker.

Mrs. Blanche Deleau and son, John, of Louisville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Y. O. Watkins a few days last week.

Congratulations.

Mr. John H. Cullom, editor of the Garland, Texas, News, has written a letter of congratulations to manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as follows: "Sixteen years ago when our first child was a baby he was subject to croupy spells and we would be uneasy about him. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in 1887, and finding it such a reliable remedy for colds and croup, we have never been without it in the house since that time. We have five children and have given it to all of them with good results. One good feature of this remedy is that it is not disagreeable to take and our babies really like it. Another is that it is not dangerous, and there is no risk from giving an overdose. I congratulate you upon the success of your remedy."

It is printed in for sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; J. B. Richardson, Mortons Gap; Jno. X. Taylor, Earlington.

Died at Mortons Gap.

Mr. O. H. P. Morton, an aged and respected citizen of Mortons Gap, died at that place Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock and will be buried at the old Morton graveyard near that place this evening. He was a member of the Baptist church and had been for fifty years. His death was due to extreme old age.

A Grass Widow Blamed.

Denver, Col., Jan. 7.—Sheriff Joseph Jones, who is here from Hayden, Co., to take back W. H. Ellis, alleged embezzling cashier of the Yampa county bank, declares that a grass widow living at Columbia, Mo., is in part responsible for the alleged downfall of Ellis.

Tacky Party.

One of the most enjoyable and amusing parties of the season was the Tacky party Tuesday evening given by Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rule at their home. The Tacky scheme was carried out from invitation to finish. Fun began when the first guest entered and lasted till they said good bye. The evening was spent in playing games, spin the plate and basket of fruit, after which they were invited to stand around the dining table and partake of refreshments in two courses which consisted of pumpkin, bread and butter, milk, red stick candy and apples. Second course, lemon sherbert and pound cake artistically trimmed with colored mixed candies and carry away need.

Miss Lily Evans won the ladies' prize, a poster, and Brick Southworth captured the gentlemen's prize, a bar of soap. Misses Georgia Wyatt and Virgie Rule were quite old and old fashioned, while John and Grover Long and Henry Coward deserve special mention for their comical get up. All pronounce this the holiest of parties.

Those present were: Misses Lily Evans, Georgia Wyatt, Edith Roots, Virgie Rule and Marjorie Whitefield; Messrs. Chas. Trahern, Brick Southworth, Henry Coward, John and Grover Long, David Cowell and "Jack."

Judges were: Misses Linnie Whitefield, Celeste Moore and Mr. Randolph.

The Sick.

Mrs. J. R. Dean, who has been quite ill, has recovered sufficiently to be up and around the house.

Mrs. Dunning, who was very ill Friday and Saturday, is considerably better.

Miss Lizzie Dean, who was suffering from tonsillitis Saturday and Sunday, is about well.

A Prisoner in Her Own House.

Mrs. W. H. Layha, of 1001 Aunes ave., Kansas City, Mo., has for several years been troubled with severe colds, coughs and a hard cough, which she says, "Would keep me in doors for days. I was prescribed for by several doctors, but with no noticeable results. A friend gave me part of a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with instructions to closely follow the directions and I wish to state that after the first day I could notice a decided change for the better, and at this time after using it for two weeks, I am entirely cured."

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; R. T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Jno. X. Taylor, Earlington.

Father Concern Seriously Ill.

Rev. A. M. Gossens, of the Catholic church at this place, is dangerously ill and very little hope is held out for his recovery. He has been ill for several months with an affliction of the stomach and kidneys. He was, however, able to officiate at mass until Sunday. Since that time however, he has grown considerably worse and at present his condition is alarming. Dr. Bone, of Madisonville, is his physician and Miss Dolan, of the same place, is nursing him. His many friends and admirers are hoping and praying for his recovery but very little encouragement is held out by the attending physician.

Earlington and Madisonville Telephone Operators need not despair. Their former location in the Paducah Telephone Exchange have found husbands in less than a year, and it is said the chief attraction in capturing the opposite sex was the soft sweet voiced modulated voice of the operator. It pays to keep your temper and talk nice over the telephone.

FOR EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

President Roosevelt Will Issue a Call to the Senate to Convene on March 4.

Washington, Jan. 11.—President Roosevelt will soon issue a call for the United States senate to convene in extraordinary session at noon, March 4, 1905, "for the consideration of executive business," and for other purposes.

In compliance with that call, the senate will convene, and Vice-President Fairbanks will receive the oath of office, he will then administer the oath to 30 senators whose terms will begin, and the inauguration of President Roosevelt will take place. The following day the president will send to the senate, for confirmation, the names of the men who will comprise his cabinet. Succeeding days, for two or three weeks, the president will send nominations of high officials, and when his administration is well begun with officials of his own choosing, he will notify the senate he has no other business to transmit, and the body will adjourn.

A Grass Widow Blamed.

Denver, Col., Jan. 7.—Sheriff Joseph Jones, who is here from Hayden, Co., to take back W. H. Ellis, alleged embezzling cashier of the Yampa county bank, declares that a grass widow living at Columbia, Mo., is in part responsible for the alleged downfall of Ellis.

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RATED LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

The New Governor Walks From the
Mansion to the Capitol, Accom-
panied by Mrs. Folk, Retiring
Gov. Dockery and William Jen-
nings Bryan.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 10.—Joseph
Wingate Folk was inaugurated gov-
ernor of Missouri at noon Monday.
The new governor and his wife have
been staying in the mansion since their
arrival Saturday night. Like Gov. A.
M. Dockery did four years ago, Mr.
Folk walks from the mansion to the
capitol for the inaugural, about 11:30
a. m. the door of the mansion opened
and the official party came out. Gov.
Folk, Mrs. Folk, Gov. Dockery and
Col. and Mrs. William J. Bryan, who
arrived Sunday night, were in the party.
Mrs. Folk, with the new governor
on one side and Gov. Dockery on the
other, took the lead, and Col. and Mrs.
Bryan followed. The party walked
from the mansion down Main street to
the state house, where they entered the
governor's office.

Promptly at 12 o'clock they left the
office and went up the spiral stairway
to the second floor. They entered the



JOSEPH WINGATE FOLK.

hall of the house of representatives
and went down the center aisle to the
speaker's stand, where seats had been
provided for them.

As the official party entered the hall
the members of the assembly arose and
stood while the officials were taking
their places. As soon as the old and
new governors and their guests had
taken the seats provided for them, the
senators and representatives sat down
and Speaker David W. Hill called the
house to order.

The chaplain of the house offered
prayer and then Speaker Hill gave
over the chair to Judge Theodore
Brace, supreme justice of Missouri.
Judge Brace administered the oath of
office.

The new governor's inaugural ad-
dress makes about 4,500 words. He
said Missouri is now on trial; he sug-
gests laws against bribery; deplored
the evil of the railroad pass and the
lobby; on government of cities said he
believed the people can be trusted to
govern themselves; favors pure elec-
tions, and the election of United States
senators by the people.

John A. McKinley, republican, was
inaugurated lieutenant-governor.
The inaugural programme concluded
with a reception and informal hall
at the mansion.

FRENCHMAN WANTS ALICE Goose Into Raptures When He Sees Her Skimming Along on a Boat.

Washington, Jan. 10.—This city and
Paris are gossiping over a possible al-
liance between Miss Alice Roosevelt and
the courtly Viscount Charles de Cham-
brin, a descendant of Lafayette, and sec-
retary to the French embassy. He has
been an ardent wooer for a twelvemonth,
and it is said he had himself
transferred from Rome to the United
States because he met her at the un-
veiling of the Rochambeau statue two
years ago, and immediately concluded
she was the girl for him.

The viscount adores Miss Roosevelt
for many reasons, one of the most
potent being her frank girlishness. He
went into raptures a few days ago
when he saw her skimming along Con-
necticut avenue on a toboggan.

Doesn't Know What's Coming.
Baltimore, Jan. 10.—Bishop Talbot,
in a sermon to young men, said: "I
hope many of you may become clergymen.
The ministry means a great deal.
At present I am bishop of the Central
Pennsylvania diocese, but I don't know
what I will be in a few months. I am
going to change my name," he joked facetiously.

Young Woman Found Dead.
Chicago, Jan. 10.—Mabel Wright, 22,
of a good family, was found dead in a
physician's office across the street
from a dance hall she left a few hours
before, having, it is said, taken chloro-
form. A mysterious note and a myste-
rious case were found prominently in the
tragedy.

Must Stay in Penitentiary.
Washington, Jan. 10.—The motion
to leave to file petition for a writ of
habeas corpus, filed here last week by
the Dolan-Barrett case, in which the
United States supreme court.

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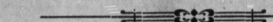
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Three cans Jersey Cream Corn	24 "
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Three 3 pound can Apples	24 "
One gallon canned Apples	22 "
Three pound can Peas	10 "
Three pound can Pie Peaches	9 "
Three 3 pound cans Pie Peaches	24 "
Three pound can Table Peaches	13 "
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Fifteen cent size of ripe Tomato Catsup	9 Cents
Ten cent size Pepper Sauce	7 "
Twenty cent size bottle Pickles	14 "
Twenty-five cent size bottle Pickles	18 "
Seven bars of Pretty Soap	25 "
Seven bars of Jumbo Soap	25 "
One pound can Bull Head Oysters	9 "
Five cent size Baking Powder	4 "
Ten cent size Baking Powder	9 "
Two pound package Royal Blend Coffee	28 "
Good package Coffee, 2 for	25 "
Sardines per box	4 "
One pound box Sardines	9 "
Twenty-five cent package Gold Dust	15 "
Rub No More, 5 cent size	4 "
Five packages Star Soda	10 "
Five packages Best On Earth Soda	10 "
Two pound Arm and Hammer Soda	18 "
One quart glass jar Syrup	9 "
Three 1 quart glass jars Syrup	25 "
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old fashioned drum stove in the mid-
dle of it, or a room with all modern
improvements, keep it clean and in
order.

I have seen school rooms in our
most modern city schools that were
far from attractive, the teacher's desk
with papers, pencils and books, the
blackboards dirty, specimens or col-
lections covered with dust, wilted
grasses, cornstalks, etc., that had
been used for drawing lessons weeks
before; odds and ends scattered every-
where.

You cannot hope or expect pupils
to keep their desks in order unless
you keep yours so.

First, then, is cleanliness and order;
after that, decoration.

For the walls a soft green is best;
it is neat, restful and forms a good
background for pictures. If the walls
are dirty and you cannot prevail upon
the Board to have them cleaned, buy
some cheap ingrain paper, use it
crosswise, take a width around the
room just above the blackboard; it
will be a great improvement.

Get the best pictures you can af-
ford, remembering that one good pic-
ture is worth half a dozen cheap ones.
No matter if the other walls do look

bare and empty, the one good picture
will give your room a greater air of
refinement and culture than two dozen
cheap ones can give it.

A word as to the selection of pic-
tures. A teacher who had always
had a quiet, orderly room, was trou-
bled one winter with the discipline.

Something seemed wrong; her us-
ual methods failed; she could not ex-
plain or understand it. The pupils
were restless, noisy and quarrelsome.
The principal made a careful study of
the room. Behind the teacher's desk
hung a large colored picture of a bat-
tle; wounded and dying soldiers, ri-
dierless horses, officers waving their
swords, smoke from the cannons; all
the excitement and confusion of bat-
tle were so clearly portrayed, one
could almost hear the noise of the
tray.

The principal removed the picture,
substituted a quiet, restful landscape
and told the teacher to "look for re-
sults." The result was soon appar-
ent; the restless, noisy spirit dis-
appeared and the room again became
calm and peaceful. Some time later,
in speaking of the change, one boy
said, "I guess it must have been that
little picture that made us so bad. I
always wanted to fight when I looked
at it, but this picture makes me feel
quiet and good."

By all means, then, select pictures
that will make the pupils feel "quiet
and good."

If you are studying about a certain
poet, why not have a poet's corner?
One teacher cut out and mounted on
heavy cardboard a series of pictures
cut from a magazine, illustrating some
of Longfellow's most familiar poems;
on smaller cards were mounted one
cent Perry pictures of the poet's birth-
place, homes, etc. These pictures
were replaced by others when another
poet was studied.

Talks During Lessons.

"Speech is silver, but silence is
golden," is a motto pointed at the
teacher with painful frequency.
Teachers do talk too much, there is
no denying the fact. Often, also,
they talk too sturdily as well. But
possibly, if more teachers prepared
themselves to talk well and effective-
ly, with a pleasant voice and man-
ner, much of this criticism would
disappear. There are many subjects
in which the teacher can give in-
structions, and information too,
much more successfully than any
text-book. We can all of us remem-
ber some teacher whose little infor-
mal talks in the midst of a prescribed
lesson were like oases in a desert.

Possibly she did talk too much, but
she told us so many interesting
things and gave us so much to think
about, that the digression was more
valuable than the lesson. She al-
ways had an apt illustration or a
striking anecdote to help us over the
difficult places, and whatever she
said was something worth saying.

Of course, power to talk in this
way is born only of long experience,
and the conscientious beginner who
stops a lesson to deliver a formal
lecture, or the teacher who talks
aimlessly as the pupils may lead her,

simply stultifies herself. But the
teacher can prepare herself before-
hand to talk well on some subject
that needs attention, and school her-
self to stop when she has said enough.
Wealth of information and a little
previous preparation will achieve
wonders after a short practice and
there will be small fear that a teacher
who thus trains herself will be accus-
ed of talking too much.—Popular
Educator.

Would it not be a wise plan to oc-
casionally devote a Friday afternoon
to a talk on current events? Let the
children during the week get clippings
from the newspapers on happenings
all over the country, or it might
some times be confined to the State.
This will not only cultivate in them a
taste for gaining information, but
will assist both teacher and pupil in
keeping up with the current events
and prove both pleasant and instruc-
tive.

A great deal of the stubbornness of
a child results from the hastiness of
a teacher, who antagonizes by com-
manding. A plan that rarely fails,
is to say quietly, "I will give you
five minutes to decide what you will
do." Children, like grown people,
want to choose the right for them-
selves and not have it forced upon
them.

"Jimmy," said the teacher, after
reading the youngster's "note from
his father" excusing his absence from
school the day before, "it seems to
me your father's writing is very much
like yours."

"Pop ain't had no education, and I'm
learnin' him."

Children are apt to get a great deal
of paper on the floor, also to pile
books haphazard in their desks. It
encourages tidy habits to pick out the
one who has the neatest desk, to pass
the scrap basket and to arrange the
books on the table or on the teacher's
desk.

The following pupils of Wilson
school are on the honor roll:

Ethel May Brown.....92
Chas. Williams.....91
Lloyd Slaton.....91

KATIE GREEK, teacher.

"What bird is called the bird of
freedom in America?" asked the
teacher.

"The turkey," answered the boy at
the foot of the class, who was think-
ing of his Thanksgiving dinner.

Tommy had drawn a picture of a
locomotive on his slate and his teacher
asked him why he didn't draw the
cars, too.

"Oh," answered Tommy, "the
locomotive can draw them."

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ularly go to your druggist and
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medicine from the constipated
bowels, stirs up the torpid liver
and causes a healthy secretion
of bile.

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will cleanse the bowels of im-
purities and strengthen the kid-
neys. A torpid liver invites
colds, biliousness, chills and
fevers and all manner of sick-
ness and contagion. Weak kid-
neys result in Bright's disease
which claims as many victims
as consumption. A 25-cent
package of Theford's Black-
Draught should always be kept
in the house.

"I used Theford's Black-
Draught for liver and kidney com-
plaints and found it very effective."
—WILLIAM COFFMAN, Mar-
shfield, Ill.

THEFORD'S BLACK- DRAUGHT

REV. W. E. HINSHAW PAROLED

Th Indiana Preacher Convicted of
Wife Murder Set Free.

It Was the Last Official Act of Gov.
Durbin, And Is Practically
a Pardon.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 11.—On the
tenth anniversary of the murder of his
wife, Rev. William E. Hinshaw, sen-
tenced to prison for life as the guilty
man, has been unconditionally paroled
by Gov. Durbin. It was his last of-
ficial act. The parole is virtually a
pardon, as he can never be returned to
prison except on the order of the gov-
ernor, and it is expected that the only
later action that will ever be taken
will be to change the parole to absolute
pardon.

Hardly a day has passed within the
last ten years that his mother has not
said that she would be willing to die
in peace and happiness if her son was
clear of the stigma that has blotted his
name. When the news of her son's re-
lease was broken to her, her only re-
ply was "I thank God; I thank God."
To Hinshaw the parole brings both
joy and sadness—for because the guilt
man, has been unconditionally paroled
by Gov. Durbin. It was his last of-
ficial act. The parole is virtually a
pardon, as he can never be returned to
prison except on the order of the gov-
ernor, and it is expected that the only
later action that will ever be taken
will be to change the parole to absolute
pardon.

In issuing the unconditional parole,
Gov. Durbin took the ground that the
state had failed utterly to provide a
motive for the crime. The case to-day
is as full of mystery as it was ten years
ago, the governor said. The mystery of
the affair was regarded as sufficient
reason for the release. "The governor
holds that Hinshaw, in returning to
the outside world, would make himself
objectionable to no one, his record as
a model prisoner being sufficient evi-
dence that he would make an honest,
upright, law-abiding citizen."

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SHOULD THE COUNTRY WEEKLY BE INDEPENDENT IN POLITICS?

I believe the country weekly should be independent in politics. But what is "independence in politics?" There are those who think such independence is only attained by the paper that wholly ignores political questions. This is not independence. It may be comfortable avoidance.

There are others who think a newspaper can have no politics unless it is in constant personal broil with those of an opposite political faith; unless it be the organ of the petty office seekers, the instrument of the demagogue, the official mud slinger.

This is not independence. It may under given circumstances and for a time put meat into the larder and grease the wheels of a drum cylinder, but the end is often bitterness. This is abject slavery.

The intensity of partisan politics in Kentucky discounts even the best efforts of a country editor with political opinions, however broad and liberal, among many readers of opposite political belief. And the position of such an editor is hard. There stands between him and the free declaration and advocacy of a principle in which he believes, the intolerant proscription of many who would stop his bread wagon if they could. Political prejudices are deep and lasting, political hatred bitter. In some localities these feelings have been so inflamed by the puerile demagogue of either party that many an ignoramus partisan would not use a paper of opposite politics for gun wadding, even if it were printed with the ink of perfect fairness on a white sheet of truth itself.

And here is the vital conflict between the business end and the editorial end of the country paper with political opinions. Both these ends usually center in the same individual, and the question is yet more difficult. Who will face it?

Thus I hold is true independence in politics: that a man be not the servant of a pie counter, but the publisher of an organ of officeholders, or the official mixer and distributor for a local, partisan mob; but that he speak his own political convictions when the spirit moves him, as he speaks his convictions upon any other topic. Good newspapers were not invented, good editors not made to pander to the vicious or contribute to the density of the ignorant. Newspapers do these things undoubtedly and undoubtedly many gain some filthy lucre thereby. It requires a brave man to waive his own party control as well as face the proscription of his opposites. I believe he should speak his mind.

A man with any strong belief in or conviction of what seems to him best in politics, as in other things, cannot be silent when principles and policies are being tried out before the people. This declaration may cause a smile, but even obscure country editors with small clientele do have convictions that are important to them and perhaps to their community; and they should express them and be permitted to express them without

any meal-barrel intimidation.

A country weekly I place upon the same broad plane of honesty that the most successful and influential city dailies occupy. The editor should be courageous to advocate what he believes, in upholding political principles or party policies; but independent enough not to subscribe to demagoguery or fraud of any sort that might be concocted by party organization for party expediency.

It is temporarily expensive to be thus independent, as even the daily newspaper sometimes has discovered, but such independence has in itself the reward of a duty-done feeling which is good to entertain where one can afford the luxury. Fair and thoughtful people, and these are the best patrons to have if there are enough of the sort within a given area of newspaper field, accept such an independence, heartily applaud its courage and become the paper's permanent friends.

Strictly as a business proposition there can be no sort of question upon this point, so far as concerns the country press of the State of Kentucky. The editor with political aspirations and a good political grasp, who can control the public printing and the official patronage of the dominant party in his home county, can afford to conduct a strictly partisan paper—so long as he retains his hold.

It is seldom, if ever, except for a brief space, that an editor can make such partisanship pay in cash under any other circumstances.

Almost millennial indeed is it to think of, but there is a future time to hope for when men will have become educated in schools and from the pulpit and by the press; trained into a spirit of charitable tolerance and brotherly love that will permit a free expression of opinion without objection to proscription and abuse.

The newspaper man in Kentucky who would escape the most unpleasantness at the editorial end and have the best filled larder at the business end of his newspaper organism will adopt the policy of comfortable avoidance and leave others to look after "independence in politics."—Paper read by Paul M. Moore before midwinter meeting of the Kentucky Press Association.

A CAPITOL SESSION.

Urged by certain Kentucky newspapers, notably the Louisville Times, which has been the recognized leader in the movement, Gov. Beckham has called a special session of the legislature, which will meet at Frankfort today to consider the question of location for the new capitol building in that city. The Bee endorses fully the governor's call for the extra session to settle the very important question involved, and is heartily in favor of building the magnificent new structure upon a site worthy of itself and as creditable to the State as the city of Frankfort can afford. But it is the wish of all Kentuckians that this extra session go down in history as a short session. Not "short" in methods or in its judgment as to what is best and most desirable in a new site, but short in the number of its days and in its mileage and per diem accounts. It should not be an expensive session and if the legislators regard the wishes of their constituents it will not be. There is only this one question that can be considered under the governor's call. There are not many sites possible of consideration at Frankfort. The legislature should quickly determine a new site or empower and instruct the commission to determine such new site.

It would be a disgrace to the State to build a magnificent structure on the crowded quar-

ters now occupied by the old State buildings, and it is said that a new site could be purchased for less money than would be spent in rent for State office accommodations during destruction and rebuilding on the old site. Since the capitol must remain at Frankfort lets have the best to be had there. But make it short.

KILLED IN A TUNNEL

Elias Hatfield, Noted for His Connection With the Hatfield-McCoy Feud, is Dead.

Elias Hatfield, noted for his connection with the McCoy-Hatfield feud, was killed in a tunnel near here Sunday. He was walking through the tunnel when a train overtook him. His body was mangled. That it wasn't a rifle ball which killed him is surprising. None of the Hatfields probably ever expected to die in any other way.

Hatfield was released from jail two years ago after serving part of his sentence for killing Sheriff H. E. Ellis, one of the McCoy's. That was one of the last murders of the famous feud, and it was one of the few for which a Hatfield was ever convicted. Since getting out of prison Elias Hatfield has been living near the place at which he was killed.

Elias Hatfield was one of the Hatfield brothers. Their father was "Devil Anse" Hatfield, the leader of the clan. Among the other brothers were "Cap" Hatfield, famous for his break from jail some years ago and subsequent recapture; John, Try and Ellison. They were all wanted for the Ellis murder, which occurred in 1897, but they got away. Elias Hatfield was the youngest of the brothers, but he had as many murders to his credit as any. He was only 17 at the time of the Ellis murder. He was a good shot and had all the other characteristics of the family, even a hatred for the McCoy's.

The Hatfield-McCoy feud started long before the civil war. Local history has it that a dispute over ownership of some hogs engendered the strife. There have been many fights, but perhaps the most famous was on account of Elias. He was accused by one of the McCoy's at a reunion of the two families of having stolen money, and his brother, Ellison, defended him. Ellison Hatfield and Talbot McCoy were in a duel when another McCoy shot Ellison. Then came a bloody battle, which resulted in the Hatfields seizing three of the McCoy's, taking them over the line into the McCoy's own state, Kentucky, tying them to trees and shooting them full of holes. It was in 1882 when the Hatfields thus wiped out the insult to their younger brother.

The father and the other brothers are still alive. The only one of the brothers who was ever shot by the McCoy's was Ellison, and that was the fight over Elias back in 1882. Reports have had this feud patched up numberless times, but in that region few deeds of violence ever occur which are not ascribed to the hatred of the two families, dating back two generations.—Bluefield, (W. Va.) Cor. New York Sun.

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Cures itching and restores the hair. It is the best hair restorer and makes the hair grow thick and glossy. Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

HAPPENINGS IN KENTUCKY.

D. O. Groff, editor of the *Jessamine News*, and Howard West narrowly escaped asphyxiation Saturday afternoon while repairing the gasoline engine in the News office at Nicholasville, Ky. Both were overcome by fumes of escaping gas, but fortunately Elliott West, who had called for his son a few minutes before, succeeded in dragging both men to the fresh air, where physicians soon resuscitated them.

John Light, Mayesville, Ky., aged eighty, died at his home, most from injuries received from a fall Wednesday night. He slept upstairs and as he went up to retire he opened the wrong door, one which led to a porch around which there was no banister. He walked off, falling fifteen feet, lying there all night. When found he was almost frozen to death. Several ribs on his right side were broken and his entire body was a mass of bruises. He never regained consciousness. He was a peculiar and religious man, having attended all the camp meetings held on Ruggles camp grounds since the association was organized. He never took a drink of liquor nor used tobacco in any shape.

Logan Geary, a young man of Caneyville, has been arrested for passing as dimes pennies which had been placed with quicksilver and nitric acid.

Mrs. Sarepta Galbraith, aged eighty-four years, living near Mayesville, started a fire in the grate. It did not burn fast enough and she threw some coal oil on it. The flame flew out of the grate and ignited her clothing, and before aid could be summoned she was burned so badly that she died a few hours later. She leaves a son, Thomas, at Cleveland, Ohio.

While alone in his room, Thomas Abbott, eighty years old, of Tartar, Russell county, was burned to death Jan. 9. His clothing caught fire from an open fireplace, and, being too feeble to extinguish the flames, he was burned to death. He was a highly respected citizen.

James Pritchett, aged sixty-eight years, one of the best known farmers of the county, died in Henderson of convulsions. He was in town on a visit and while walking along the street slipped and fell on the ice.

Rev. Robert Y. Thomas, a well known Methodist minister, is dead at Marion, at the age of eighty years.

The body of an unknown man, poorly dressed, was found in a strawstack at Bainbridge, Christian county, Friday night, Jan. 6, but was not reported until yesterday. The man was seen in the neighborhood Tuesday for the last time until the body was found. At the inquest one witness testified that he talked with the man Tuesday, and he said his name was Miller, and was from Graves county. The verdict of the coroner's jury was that the man froze to death.

Indorsements of John W. Yerkes for a cabinet portfolio by the Republican organizations of every Southern State except Missouri will be placed before the President by National Committeeman W. F. Brownlow, of Tennessee, one day this week. The papers are being prepared, and Mr. Brownlow will take the earliest opportunity offering to present them.

Marking, Jan. 10.—John Henry Mullins, aged thirty-six years, residing near the Pike county line, died from the effects of a bite from a cat today.

Owingsville, Ky., Jan. 10.—At Olive Hill, Carter county, Viola, the young daughter of Hugh Stone, was standing near a fire when her clothing became ignited, and she was fatally burned before she could be rescued. She died after a few hours of suffering.

Doctors Prescribe for Specific Blood Poisoning FOERG'S REMEDY

This is to certify that I have and now am selling Foerg's Remedy. I have been a practicing physician for over thirty years. Foerg's Remedy is one of the best; it not only cures, but it cures the cause. R. C. KENNEDY, M. D., Pleasanton, Ky.

If your druggist does not handle this remedy send us \$1.00 for one bottle or \$5.00 for six bottles in plain wrapper. All correspondence strictly confidential.

Foerg Remedy Co., Pleasanton, Ky.
For sale locally by
For Sale by St. Bernard Drug Store and J. N. Taylor.

AFTER INVENTORY REDUCTIONS.

Great reductions are to be found in every line of goods since taking inventory and especially low will you find all remnant and short end lots in the line. Look them over and see if we don't make you a goodly saving.

Grand Leader, MADISONVILLE, KY.

The Swift

Passing of another year brings us again the pleasure of greeting you with our compliments and the very best wishes for the Holiday Season and the New Year to come.

Before turning the "new page" in life's history our thoughts dwell in grateful appreciation upon those friends who have been so loyal to us in our growth and prosperity. We offer our sincere thanks to you for contributing by your confidence and good will so generously to the measure of our success, and we trust that our satisfactory dealings of the past may be perpetuated and increased for many years to come.

May this greeting find you surrounded by all the comforts which your toil so richly deserves, and we sincerely trust that the New Year of 1905 will open up to you new avenues of success and happiness.

Again thanking you and extending you our cordial good wishes, we remain, Very truly your friends,

Grand Leader,

Morris Kohlman - - Manager,
MADISONVILLE, KY.

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The Coal that produces the most heat and least waste. The best coal in the market.

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For base burners and furnaces. One ton of this Coke will give better satisfaction than a ton of the best anthracite coal and at a much less price.

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Hunt & Bro., Memphis, Tenn.; Joo. T. Messer & Co., Rialto Building, St. Louis, and J. W. Bridgman, 303 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill.

BABY'S FACE MASS OF SORES

Ears Looked as if They Would Drop Off—Body Entirely Covered with Humor—Three Doctors Could Not Cure—Child Grew Worse.

CURED BY CUTICURA IN TWO WEEKS

Mrs. George J. Stees, of 701 Coburn St., Akron, Ohio, tells in the following letter of another of those remarkable cures of torturing, disgusting skin humors daily made by Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, and used by physicians, and all else failed: "I feel it my duty to parents of other poor suffering children to tell you what Cuticura has done for my little daughter. She broke out all over her body with a humor, and I used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, they all claimed they could help her, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, and her little face was eaten away, her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and I did. I used half of the cake of soap and bowl of ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body was as clear as a newborn babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of two dollars and cents, which is all it cost us to cure our baby, after several hundred dollars on doctors and medicines without any benefit whatever."

SLEEP FOR BABIES

Rest for Mothers.

Instant relief and refreshing sleep for tired, fretted mothers, in warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anodynes with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure, and purifier of emollients.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills are sold everywhere. Price 25c per box. Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills are sold everywhere. Price 25c per box.

Wearily Willing Walker.

"Weary Willie Walker," is a play full of genuine heart interest, and is full of exciting scenes and surprising climaxes. It has an interesting plot, and holds the audience spellbound through the four acts. It is acted by a company of performers, especially engaged for each evening, of such a production which, together with the vast amount of new and beautiful scenery, keeps the audience in a suppressed state of excitement. It is a play that appeals to the innermost recesses of the heart; hence its wonderful success. Temple Theatre, Thursday, Jan. 12.

PRICES: 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00.

How to Avoid Pneumonia.

"We have never heard of a single instance of a cold resulting in Pneumonia or other lung trouble when Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar, and refuse any substitute offered. Dr. J. B. Bishop, of Agawam, Mass., writes: 'I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case.'"

For sale by John N. Taylor.

An angry man who called a telephone girl a "sheephead" over the wire in Nuremberg, Germany, has been fined \$6.25. A Viennese who called the woman operator a "chinese" in similar circumstances has suffered to the extent of \$8.

To prolong the life of a big cannon an American has invented a method of substituting sap grooves of balls, like ball bearings in a bicycle, for rifle grooves. A Glasgow man has fitted ball bearings to the projectile, which is said to be the cheaper method of the two.

"The most pleasant medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard F. Craig, of Middlegrove, N. Y. "They work like a charm and do not grip or have any unpleasant effect."

For sale by Dr. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; B. T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Jno. N. Taylor, Earlington.

Palm kernels, which are the product of the palm tree, are becoming important in the life and trade of the native African. They have a varied utility, but are principally used for making an oil called nut oil and a sort of butter called palm butter.

The wheat harvest of France is estimated by the minister of agriculture at about 200,000,000 bushels or some 50,000,000 bushels less than in 1903. With the exception of 1897, this year's yield is less than that of any year within the past decade.

You Know What You're Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure to pay. 50c.

Lessons by Phonograph.

Teaching modern languages by means of the phonograph is a new device. It is employed by some of the many correspondence schools that have sprung up all over the country in the last year or two. At the headquarters of the school the teacher speaks the lesson into the funnel of the machine. These records are then mailed to the student, who may live a thousand miles away, together with a phonograph and several blank records.

In his own home the student sets the phonograph going and listens while it repeats as pure German, Italian or French as the teacher knows how to speak. Having learned the lesson he repeats it to the talking machine and sends the record back to the school, where the teacher criticizes it for his benefit.

Printed records are sent also, but from the phonograph it is ascertained the pupil learns correct pronunciation as he never could from books, and almost as well as he would from the instructor at first hand.

Good Spirits.

Good spirits don't come from Kentucky. The main source is the liver—and all the fine spirits ever made in Blue Grass State could not remedy a bad liver or the hundred-and-one ill effects it produces. You can't have good spirits and a bad liver at the same time. Your liver must be in fine condition if you would feel buoyant, happy and hopeful, bright of eye, light of step, vigorous and successful in your undertakings. You can't have fine condition by using Green's August Flower—the greatest of all medicines for the liver and stomach, and a certain cure for dyspepsia or indigestion. It has been a favorite household remedy for over thirty-five years. August Flower will make your liver healthy and active and thus insure you a liberal supply of "good spirits." Trial size, 25c; regular bottles, 75c. At all druggists.

It is said that the highest caste natives of Siam, Burmah and India are great buyers of all kinds of precious stones, and ornaments. This tendency has been increasing during the last few years, on account of the prevailing belief that the only safe way to invest money is to purchase jewelry, etc.

It is reported that owing to the losses suffered at the hands of ticket scalpers several Mexican railways have decided to issue no more round-trip tickets.

Tonic to the System.

For liver trouble and constipation, there is nothing better than Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers, the famous Little Pills. They do not weaken the stomach. Their action upon the system is mild, pleasant and harmless. No more of LaFayette, Ind., says: "No more talking, Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers do the work. All other pills I have used gripe and make me sick. I never cure me. Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers proved to be the long sought relief." Persons traveling find Little Early Risers the most reliable remedy.

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store. An English naval cadet, who, on his training ship, took 11 first prizes in the first examination obtained 97.6 per cent was rejected at the medical examination on account of a small defect in one little toe.

An English sergeant, lately returned from South Africa, committed suicide because a wound had so disfigured his face that his friends hardly knew him. A people who met him in the street "looked" at him.

The total sugar crop of the Philippine Islands for the present season, 1904-5, is estimated commercially at 145,000 tons of 2,240 pounds each, against 80,000 tons last year, an increase of upwards of 80 per cent.

No More Stomach Troubles.

All stomach trouble is removed by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It gives the stomach perfect rest by digesting what you eat, without the stomach's aid. The food builds up the body, the rest restores the stomach to health. You don't have to diet yourself when taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. J. D. Erskine, of Asheville, Mich., says: "I suffered from Heartburn and Stomach trouble for some time. My sister-in-law has had the same trouble. She was not able to eat for six weeks. She lived entirely on warm water. After taking two bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she was entirely cured. She now eats heartily and is in good health. I am glad to say I gave me instant relief."

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

Deadlocked Over Tobacco Inspection.

Clarksville, Tenn., Jan. 10.—The Tobacco Board of Trade is in a deadlock over the selection of their fourth inspector. At a meeting held a week ago three of the inspectors were elected on the first ballot. The board was unable to choose between W. F. Bookner, the present incumbent, and Dr. H. T. Drane, however, and, although several ballots have been taken, there has been no election.

Production of sugar cane in the Hawaiian Islands has increased greatly within the past five years.

Tutt's Pills

FOR TORPID LIVER.

A torpid liver deranges the whole system and produces SICK HEADACHE, DYSPEPSIA, COSTIVENESS, RHEUMATISM, SALLOW SKIN AND PILES. There is no better remedy for these diseases than Dr. TUTT'S LIVER PILLS. Take No Substitute.

MORTONS GAP NEWS.

Mr. Len Southard and family have moved to Graham.

Geo. Stokes and wife have gone to housekeeping.

Miss Annie Grady is on the sick list.

T. M. Goach was in town Monday.

Misses Alice Davis and Bertha Morton spent several days in White Plains last week.

Mrs. Tom Dillingham and sister, Miss Minnie Davis, of White Plains, were visiting here last week.

John T. Davis and family spent Sunday with John Medlock's family.

Roskus Bailey, of White Plains, is waiting for the Oak Hill Coal Co.

Dr. Keith, mother and family have moved to our town. We are always glad to have such people.

Mr. Sam Woodward, of the country, was in town last week.

Mr. Port Loran is no better at this writing.

Mr. Jim Woodward, of the country, was in town Monday.

Glenn Medlock, of Madisonville, visited home folks Sunday.

Mr. Pig Murry has a very sick child with pneumonia.

Burt Southard spent Sunday with home folks.

Eugene Conen was here Sunday.

John Trathorn, of Chesley, passed through this place Saturday.

Tom and Lucian Long, of Earlington, were in town Sunday.

N. V. Todd and Jeff Prentice were in Nortonville Friday.

James Ezell went to work for Kingston.

Misses Clay Jones and Roxie Sisk spent Sunday in Earlington the guests of Mrs. Robt. Priest.

Miss Myrtle Lyndsay is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Sisk.

The "Social Club" met with Miss Clay Jones last week and spent a most enjoyable evening. Some very interesting games were played and some beautiful musical selections were rendered by the hostess and Miss Roxie Sisk. Promptly at 10 o'clock the guests departed bidding each other good night and hoping to be together again next Tuesday.

Four Hundred Babies.

St. Vincent's Infant Asylum, Chicago, shelters homeless waifs awaiting adoption, and there are nearly 400 babies there. One of the babies is a girl named Julia. "I cannot say too much in praise of Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Contains no opiate and is safe and sure. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar. I insist upon having it. It is a safe remedy and certain in results. Refuse substitutes."

Sold by Jno. N. Taylor.

Traced by the impression of his teeth left in a half-eaten apple in a house at Basle, Switzerland, a burglar confessed to breaking into the building.

Opening a cow's stomach, removing two bushels of corn and then closing the stomach and saving the cow's life was the feat performed in Webster City, Ia.

Santa Fe detectives, disguised as tramps, have found that its trainmen have been carrying passengers at greatly reduced rates on the company's California lines and pocketing the money.

Cured Lungbo.

A. B. Cannon, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with lungbo at different times and tried one physician after another, then different treatments and liniments, gave it up altogether. I tried once more and bought a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former sufferers." 25c, 50c.

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

Liberian coffee is considered by experts to be one of the best qualities of coffee.

Roosevelt is the second president elected while wearing a mustache. Cleveland was the first.

A morality play founded on Bunson's "Pigmy's Progress" has been produced at Birmingham.

1904 shows an increased casualty list in fires, accidents and suicides as an increase in crime.

New York gamblers are willing to pay a fine of \$1,000 every week for the privilege of running a game.

A Costly Joker.

"I suppose this comes to every man a desire to do something smart on an occasion," said the drummer, as a sign took the place of his smile, according to the New York Times.

"Well, such a desire came to me as I was staying at a southern city after a week's stay. The waiter at my table had called me 'General' and been at great pains to care for me and I made up my mind to reward him with a \$5 bill. It was a counterfeit with which I had been stuck, but I thought it would be the biggest kind of a joke to work it off on Bob."

"I had got a hundred miles away when I was arrested on a telegram for passing counterfeit money, and when taken back I was arraigned in a United States court and had to give bail and appear on three different occasions. I had a lawyer, and other expenses, lost a good three weeks altogether and just escaped prison by the skin of my teeth. In addition to this I had to make good to the waiter, who sorrowfully shook his head when he received the money and said:

"I'm sorry for you, General, but this may be de means of saving' your contemptible soul from the gallus!"

To California.

Via Seaside Colorado or True Southern Route. Daily through Pullman Standard sleeping cars, St. Louis to San Francisco, via the Missouri Pacific Ry., and Seaside Colorado. Elegant tourist sleeping car service every Tuesday and Thursday from St. Louis. Daily through Pullman standard sleeping car service from Los Angeles, Cal., via Iron Mountain Route—the True Southern Route. When not sleeping car excursions via Iron Mountain Route and El Paso, leave St. Louis every Tuesday and Thursday. The Missouri Pacific Ry. is strictly up to date. Round trip and low rate one-way tickets are sold from St. Louis to Los Angeles, Cal., via Iron Mountain Route or Missouri Pacific Ry. from all principal points in the East. For rates and full information, address any representative Missouri Pacific-Iron Route System or R. T. Matthews, P. O. A., Room 301 North Blvd., Louisville, Ky., or N. C. Townsend, G. P. & T. A., St. Louis, Mo.

Fifty women students at Göttingen recently held a "commers," a feast of song and lager beer, at which several professors were present.

The Ambidextrous society of London, has been formed with the object of encouraging people to use both hands with equal facility.

Oak bean a thousand years old, removed from Big Horn, Ind., at Bedford, Eng., have been converted into a handsome suit of furniture.

Rev. Charles P. B. Martin, L. L. D. of Waverly, Texas, writes: "I often find that a cold, or a collection of phlegm, which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Honey and Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons suffering from colds, coughs or lung trouble." 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

From various sources we have the information that the present war between Japan and Russia is costing them over \$10,000,000 each week.

Nora and Joseph Black, two girls who are joined in the same manner as were the Siamese twins, recently arrived in England from Germany.

Nineteen competitors took a part in a race in Paris for men with wooden legs. The winner did a mile and a half in 12 minutes.

Speedy Relief.

A salve that heals without a scar is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. No remedy effects such speedy relief. It draws out inflammation, soothes, cools and heals all cuts, burns and bruises. A sure cure for Piles and skin diseases. DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of counterfeits, they are dangerous. Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

Wreck at Cedar Bluff.

A tail end collision on the I. C. occurred at Cedar Bluff Monday night. Conductor Smiley and Engineer Green on extra 47 ran into the rear end of 151 freight train while they were standing on the main track. The engine of the extra ran through the caboose and three cars. No one was injured. Freight train 151 had broken in two and the rear was not protected by a flag. Both Engineer Green and Conductor Smiley are from the Henderson Division of the I. C. and are well known here.

The paid admissions to the world's fair exceeded 12,000,000 and the total admissions were close to 20 millions.

Ex-Mayor James M. Broton, of Des Moines, Ia., weight 269 pounds and began life as a circus clown.

Every Two Minutes

Physicians tell us that all the blood in a healthy human body passes through the heart once in every two minutes. If this action comes irregular the whole body suffers. Poor health follows poor blood; Scott's Emulsion makes the blood pure. One reason why

SCOTT'S EMULSION

is such a great aid is because it passes so quickly into the blood. It is partly digested before it enters the stomach; a double advantage in this. Less work for the stomach; quicker and more direct benefits. To get the greatest amount of good with the least possible effort is the desire of everyone in poor health. Scott's Emulsion does just that. A change for the better takes place even before you expect it.

We will send you a sample free. Be sure that this picture is the form of a child in the wrapper where he could get his Emulsion you buy.

SCOTT & BOWNE
Chemists
439 Pearl St., N. Y.
Send for sample free. All druggists.

NEBO NOTES.

The excitement in the tobacco market still continues and the farmers are highly pleased. Should the prices still remain as they are at present the farmers will plant a big crop and bring prices back to the old standard.

The Nebo correspondent of the Hustler tells of a cow whose owner in moving turned his cow out of the lot at the place he was leaving expecting her to go to the stalkfield where he could get her at some future time, but instead of doing so she took the road and went to the new home and went to the gate and bawled for some one to come and help her. There is no man living on this place, said he would have to move onto a back street or never get any more eggs. When asked the reason he said that so many wagons passed and that he had moved so often and bawled his chicken every time they heard a wagon rattle they would lay down and cross their legs to be tied.

J. S. Durham and Bro. Ford returned from Calhoun Saturday. They reported the armor trial as being in progress.

Mrs. Annie Pontious, of Stanton, California, who left this place about 13 years ago, is visiting friends and relatives in Nebo and vicinity. She is a daughter of W. P. McNary, formerly of this place. She is accompanied by her husband and will remain in the county sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers, of Madisonville, visited the family of Cris Hoffman Friday night.

May Sue, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. King, has the diphtheria.

R. S. Hill had an attack of diphtheria last week.

Lem King moved into the house formerly occupied by Hal Endaleys.

Miss Myra Peyton is spending the week with her brother, J. B. Peyton.

W. B. Lacey, the nation drummer, here Monday.

Miss Lillian Roberts, who has been attending school in Russellville, has entered the store of H. R. Cox as clerk.

Mack Hoffman made his "debut" as a drummer Saturday. He will work for a jewelry house. Mack is a nice young man and we wish him success.

Rev. King filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday and Sunday night.

It is a fact that a great many of our people are too sick on Sunday to attend any school or church, but are well and able to attend to business until the next Sunday when they will be sick again.

Observations in Brief.

(William J. Burtcherer.)

One touch of Jap makes the whole Kurokatkin.

The optimist is so scarce that the price of whisky going down will not cause more whisky to go down.

When the average man is favored with a raise in his salary the difficulty of laying up money begins.

New York has been just swept by a storm. Perhaps its street sweepers have not been doing their duty.

It is when people run chances that they are the most likely to catch a cold.

The farmer who has been driving a two-horse rig might substitute shafts for the tongue and call it a horse-less.

Frank Ford, the "Teapot Burglar," of Omaha, seems to have discovered that no matter what kind of business a man is in he can a Ford to be polite.

The world, which is said to be a stage, furnishes everybody a part to act, but does not guarantee an applause.

The novelists who have been working day and night to set the world on fire will find that their books will be about the first to blaze when that awful time does come.

The difference between "waking up" and "getting up" these cold winter mornings is of fifteen minutes to one-half hour.

Pleasant and Most Effective.

T. J. Chambers, Ed. Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes Dec. 25, 1902: "With pleasure and unsolicited by you, I bear testimony to the curative power of Ballard's Kidney and Bladder Pills. It is the most effective and pleasant remedy for kidney and bladder ailments I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

Advised Letters.

(For week ending Jan. 10, 1905.) Sarah Dean, Adam Winterhagen, Almede Winn, Myrtle Stanley, Eugene W. Phillips, E. M. Thomas Moore, G. W. Melton, Pird Maria Emma McCree, M. A. Lucena, J. W. Lynn, Pollie Greenville, Mr. Davis, Charlie Croghan, Lizzie Childs, Martie Bourland, George Armstrong.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He neglected to take Foley's Kidney and Bladder Pills, and got into trouble, hoping it would wear away, and he was soon a victim of Bright's disease. The kidneys are surrounded, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear. The kidneys are surrounded, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear. The kidneys are surrounded, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear.

For sale by Jno. N. Taylor, Earlington.

Success of a Play.

Much of the success of a play, Mr. Winston Churchill's dramatization of his own novel, "The Crisis," is due to the skill with which the author has subordinated the unimportant events in his novel and brought into the proper dramatic focus the love story of Virginia Carvel and Stephen Eric. This in the novel as all readers of the remarkable book will remember was of subordinate interest to the huge conflict between the North and South which loomed before the reader; politics too played its part. In the play one sees all these factors, fully as clearly as in the novel, but now they are used merely to develop the love story of the two principal characters. This is regarded as the very quintessence of dramatic constructive skill, and has won for Mr. Churchill immediate place among the dramatists of this country. This interesting play will be seen at Morton's Theatre on Tuesday, Jan. 17, when Miss Nannette Comstock will make her first stellar appearance in this city as Virginia Carvel.

Hawesville, Ky., Jan. 10.—Mrs. Clarence Street, wife of Editor Clarence Street, of the Hancock Clarion, was killed by a fall from the frozen ground and broke her wrist.

During 1903 15 trains were held up and four stages robbed in the United States. Three persons were killed, two wounded and one robber was killed in these hold-ups.

VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER

A splendid tonic for the hair, makes the hair grow long and heavy. Always restores color to gray hair and all the dark, rich color of youth. Stops falling hair. Also, sold for fifty years.

Ex-Mayor James M. Broton, of Des Moines, Ia., weight 269 pounds and began life as a circus clown.

STREET SCENE IN TOKIO.
(By McEntee, in Chicago Daily Tribune.)

THE NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE

Programme of the Annual Meeting to Be Held in Washington, Beginning January 17.

WILL URGE LEGISLATION FOR MERCHANT MARINE

A variety of subjects, proposed by Representative Commercial Bodies, to be given consideration—Boston Board of Trade Wants Reciprocity With Canada.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The official programme of recommendations and resolutions to be considered at the thirty-fifth annual meeting of the national board of trade, which begins here Tuesday, January 17, has been made public by Secretary Wm. R. Tucker. An unusually large number of resolutions of interest to the business interests of the country have been proposed by representative commercial bodies for consideration, chief among which are those relating to the merchant marine, the interstate commerce law, reciprocity, uniform bills of lading, reduction of the tax on alcohol and improvement of various waterways. Various boards of trade and transportation and chambers of commerce have presented resolutions urging congressional legislation for the upbuilding of the American merchant marine. Realizing the great importance of the Panama canal, when finished, the New Orleans board of trade presents a resolution adopted by that body in 1903 urging the formation of the Mississippi Valley & Orient Steamship Co., to be organized under the Louisiana state laws, with a capital of not less than \$5,000,000, for the construction of modern full-powered passenger and freight steamers. In various resolutions enlarged powers are asked for the interstate commerce commission.

The New York board of trade and transportation, by resolution, expresses itself as opposed to any bill conferring the rate-making power on the commission. The board expresses the opinion that it seems wiser, for the present at least, to rely on the recently applied method of enforcing the decisions of the commission by injunction rather than to enact the Cooper Quarries bill, the provisions of which it holds may be construed to be much more far-reaching than even its advocates are willing to defend or consider. Railroad pooling is favored in several resolutions, and so is the institution by the government of a parcel post, such as variously named foreign governments now enjoy, the adoption of one cent postage for invoices, etc., and the improvement of the Mississippi river and of coastwise waterways. The importance of international arbitration (resolutions) is set forth in a number of the resolutions, and an expression is made for an early ratification of those now pending.

The Scranton (Pa.) board of trade requests the adoption of a resolution requesting the president to join other powers in a determined effort to compel Russia and Japan to submit their differences to The Hague tribunal for arbitration.

The Boston chamber of commerce wants reciprocity with Canada, and other commercial bodies ask that our foreign trade be extended by treaties of reciprocal character.

Free alcohol for industrial uses is advocated by the Cleveland board of commerce, and a reduction of the tax on that commodity by the Philadelphia Trade League.

San Francisco, Jan. 10.—J. M. D. S. Frantz, while laughing and joking, fell dead.

DOVE OF PEACE IN COLORADO

Representative Griffith Says It Is Perched On the Capitol Dome.

The Last Fight Was in the Senate Over Gov. Peabody's Resignation. Bench Nominations, and They Were Confirmed.

Denver, Col., Jan. 2.—With the exception of the contest for the governorship, which will be held by Gov. Peabody on Wednesday, and the hearing of which will continue through several weeks, the political troubles of Colorado that are of particular interest to the outside world have been settled, and Alva Adams will be inaugurated as governor. Despite all the incidental fact that has been made from time to time the difficulties seem to have been adjusted amicably. Nobody has been killed and, so far as known, nobody has even landed or received so much as one little punch. There is no sign of trouble now, and unless a violent counter current strikes in from some unexpected direction there will be no trouble in the future.

Representative Griffith's dove of peace, which has seen such strenuous experiences last Saturday, after he announced his arrival, is now, according to that gentleman, firmly entrenched on the capital dome. "She's there all right," said Griffith, "but you know how it is in politics. Something may come up some day, and some fellow may about the head of her. There is no reason why anybody should do it, and if anybody does, he is no gentleman."

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The two "Wolfcut" republican senators, Campbell and Delong, who, on Saturday, had voted with the democrats, came in with the regulars late in the morning, and two democratic senators, Ballinger and Hill, also came over. Both democrats voted for Bailey, making the totals on his confirmation 21 to 13. Ballinger remained with the republicans when Goddard's name was called again, and the vote then was 20 to 14. The democrats claim that inasmuch as the two appointments are not effective until April, Gov. Peabody has no legal right to name them, but should allow Gov. Adams to select them. An effort will probably be made at some time later to induce Gov. Adams to appoint two men in place of Goddard and Bailey. The appointments confirmed will make the political complexion of the court seven republicans and two democrats.

The inauguration of Gov. Adams will be the simplest manner. There will, by the request of the governor-elect, be no military display and it is believed that the entire ceremony will last but a few minutes.

Claims the Championship. Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 7.—Miss Dora Wolfmeyer, of this county, claims to be the champion young woman butter-maker of this state. Last year, from the milk of five cows, she made 1,276 pounds. She did all the work herself, and the butter was of fine quality.

Sixth Satellite Discovered. San Jose, Cal., Jan. 7.—Lick observatory has discovered a sixth satellite of Jupiter. The discovery was made by Prof. Perrine by means of a Crossley reflector, and was the result of a system search begun early in December.

Nothing Doing for Nan. New York, Jan. 7.—Justice Greenbaum of the New York state supreme court has refused the application of Nan Patterson for bail, pending a new trial on the charge of the murder of "Ceasar" Young.

WILL THERE BE EXTRA SESSION?

Senate Leaders Say the President and House Must Determine.

TARIFF WOULD BE QUESTION

The Responsibility Would Rest on the House, But the Senate Would Join in Perfecting Any Proposed Legislation.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Whether there will be an extra session of congress for a revision of tariff is a question, in the expressed opinion of a number of leaders of the senate, that must be determined by the president and the house. In other words, several senators contented steadfastly that the responsibility of tariff revision legislation must be borne by the president and a bill be passed by the house.

The senators holding this view are not content to those who, with certain house leaders, attended the conference held at the White House to sound the sentiment of congress in regard to the tariff. Without any public confirmation of the fact, that the attitude of the senate, as represented by the senators, was not in opposition to tariff revision if that programme should be decided upon by the president.

Burden to Rest on the House.

Senators who plan to place on the house the burden of an extra session to argue that certain house members, in discussing the relative positions of the two legislative branches of congress, have not refrained from advancing the charge that the senate does not represent the people as does the house, and that it is impossible to an extra session is made effective. It will not be the senate that erects the barrier.

For senators are to be found who are willing to discuss the matter for publication, beyond saying that if a tariff session is called, it should not be held before autumn, to be convened in October preferably. The argument in favor of a late session is that the members of the ways and means committee of the house, and the finance committee of the senate would have an opportunity to investigate the demands for a revision, and thus arrive at a better understanding of legislative needs before the session is assembled.

Lively Exchange of Views.

There is a lively exchange of views and gossip regarding tariff revision going on in the house. While no direct or organized poll of its members is being made, and caucuses by state delegations are not being held, it is known that the speaker, as well as prominent members of the ways and means committee, are collating the views of members personally. The only approach to a poll of members on the subject is that which was completed by Representative Tawney, of Minnesota, the republican "whip," before the holiday recess. Mr. Tawney found a decided sentiment in favor of an investigation by the proper committee of the house regarding changes in industrial legislation, which may have taken place since the enactment of the Dingley tariff, with a view to ascertaining the necessity or otherwise of changes in the schedule. The result of this inquiry was placed in possession of the president at the recent conference on the subject of tariff revision, and undoubtedly had its weight in the discussion.

Prominent members, while not wishing to make a statement on the subject, affirm that their discussions with their colleagues reveal a decided sentiment in favor of no action whatever regarding the tariff.

WITHDRAWN BY PRESIDENT.

President Roosevelt Withdraws His Letter Extending Good Wishes to the Seaboard Magazine.

Washington, Jan. 11.—President Roosevelt has withdrawn a letter which he wrote last March extending to the American Seaboard Magazine his wishes for its success. The withdrawal of the president's letter was announced in the form of a letter which the president wrote on the 7th inst. to Murat Halstead, who was the president of the company which is to publish the magazine.

Certain of the promoters of the magazine appear to have taken improper use of the president's letter. Murat Halstead has also withdrawn from the presidency.

To Work With Socialist Party.

Cincinnati, Jan. 11.—A trades union movement along industrial and socialist lines, intended to supplant the American Federation of Labor, and work in harmony with the socialist party, outlined in a recent secret conference in Chicago, where all parts of the country were represented, was made temporary headquarters here.

One Dead Banished.

St. Louis, Jan. 11.—Of the three men implicated in the saloon holdup, Monday night, when Officer Robert Sloan was wounded in a battle with the three men, one, George W. Smith, is dead, from a wound inflicted by Officer Sloan, and James Davis and William Farnett, alias "Shorty" Jones, are under arrest and have confessed.

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No sick ones can neglect such an offer and be safe to blame. They've got to offer must compare you with Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam as we claim. We would surely not pay for a bottle and give it away if there was any doubt of results. You want these results - you want to be well. Won't you let us, at our expense, show you the way? Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam is sold in two sizes, 25c and 50c.

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A Record of Marvelous Accomplishment.

Established February 19, 1904. The Kentucky Farmer and Breeder, of Lexington, has, within a few months' time, become concededly the best weekly paper of its kind in America, and has secured a paid-in-advance circulation of over 13,000 copies.

Among the contributors to its columns on agricultural topics are many of the best-posted men in America. Mr. H. F. Hillenmyer, whose reputation as a nurseryman is national, conducts each week a department of answers to inquiry, in which he gives from his vast store of knowledge, experience and study, his views and advice on any subject pertaining to the orchard, lawn or garden, about which information may be desired. Every issue of The Kentucky Farmer and Breeder contains the most pertinent news and the most timely advice for farmers and stock raisers of every sort.

As a medium for all forms of farm and live stock advertising (for both of which it offers special discounts), it has no rival in the state. More than half its circulation is in Kentucky, and for the most part among people who are interested in and able to buy either farms or good stock.

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It is the most valuable weekly paper in America for the farmers of Kentucky to take. Published at Lexington, "the hub of the horse world," and the center of the state's agricultural interests, it has the opportunity to obtain, and it never fails to publish live, up-to-date, fresh news and valuable feature matter which no other paper contains.

Sample copies may be had on application at this office.

MINING NOTES.

Fewer Contained in a Pound of Coal.

A single pound of coal is capable of producing 200 horsepower, and could do the work of an express locomotive for one-fifth of a minute. In other words, it is enough to haul a train of eight cars, including the Pullman sleeping cars and dining cars, at the rate of fifty miles an hour, one-sixth of a mile.

In sawing wood, a man may work at the rate of about sixty strokes a minute, and his sawblade may have progressed five feet a minute, but a circular saw, driven by machinery, will cut seventy times as much wood in the same time. And yet this one little pound of coal contains power enough for 180 such saws.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—An organization of the Doying Coal Company, a \$5,000,000 corporation, under the laws of Delaware, is reported here to mean the consolidation of fourteen of the leading bituminous coal mining interests in Illinois and Indiana, along the lines of the Chicago

and Eastern Illinois and Evansville and Terre Haute railroads. Officers of the new corporation are to be located in Chicago.

Philadelphia, Jan. 7.—The total anthracite production for the year 1904 was almost two million tons below the output of 1903. The total production for 1904 was 57,492,532, as compared with 59,369,811 during the previous year.

Messrs. Juble Vincent and Wm. Sheard, car repairers at No. 9 mine, have been transferred to No. 11.

The boiler and engine house at St. Charles, which has been under construction by Foreman Toombs and crew for several weeks, was completed Saturday.

C. B. Jenkins, who has been employed as mine foreman by Providence Coal Co., at the shaft mine, has accepted a similar position at the new mine of the Webster County Coal Company and went to work for the new company this week.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 9.—The Monongahela Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, of Pittsburg, has completed a deal by which it comes into the possession of several thousand acres of coal lands on Green River, in this

county.

The Cumberland Railroad Company, composed of Pennsylvania capitalists, is pushing the construction on the new branch road from Barbourville to Brush Creek in Knox county, Ky. This road is to be eight miles long when completed, and is built for the purpose of reaching the Brush Creek coal field. This will give employment to several thousand people.

The Corydon coal field in Henderson county is having some lively speculation at present. O. T. Koonce has bought the interest of Ed Ball in the Magnolia mines for \$10,750. This mine has only been in operation about two years.

Harry Myres, of Graham, visited his parents here this week.

Supt. Ernest Rash, of Victoria mines, was in the city Wednesday on business.

The Original.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative, it contains no opiates and is safe for children and delicate persons.

Sold by Jno. K. Taylor.

Church Directory.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every Lord's day at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Elder Howard Braden, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services third Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Class meetings, second and fourth Sundays at 8:30 p. m. Rev. W. H. Dams, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—Rev. J. E. King, pastor. Services first and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Epworth League, every Sunday evening at 6:30. Also one Literary meeting each month with some member. The Woman's Missionary Society Saturday afternoon before first Sunday.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH.—Preaching the second Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and the preceding Saturday night. Church meeting Saturday night before the third Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Monday night at 7:30. Rev. Fred E. Gartin, pastor.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. A. M. Coenen, pastor. First Mass, Sunday morning at 7 o'clock; Second Mass, 9:30 o'clock. Afternoon service at 2:30 every Sunday.

GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH.—Services Saturday night before the third Sunday in each month at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 2 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—HOLLA—Regular services second Sabbath in each month, and Saturday night before; prayer meeting Wednesday night; Sunday school each Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Rev. G. E. Thompson, pastor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Services each Tuesday evening at the Library at 7:30. Rev. George C. Abbott, rector.

COLORED COLUMN

EDITED BY J. H. GOUCH.

Lee Childers and wife spent New Year day in Madisonville.

The Madisonville Eagle is something new, a weekly paper published by a colored paper. It is the only colored paper published by colored people in the county. We have enough colored people in Hopkins county to support a weekly paper if they will subscribe for it.

Lee Childers spent Sunday in Springfield, Tenn., with friends and relatives. He reported a pleasant time.

Fred Earls, of Evansville, Ind., is visiting his mother.

Revival services are in progress at the Zion church this week and will continue through the week. Sunday is Rally day. Each member is requested to give \$1 or more.

Moses Bradley, of Evansville, was the guest of his mother, Nancy Smith, last week.

Rev. L. S. Knox, of Hanson, Ky., is conducting the series of meeting at the Zion church this week.

The following are on the sick list: Sarah Anson, Millie Earles, Josie Earls, Little Nora Collins and Abe Anson.

Let the public turn out one hour to the new Rally at the Zion church and help to raise the \$100.00 that the church much needs.

HECLA NEWS—COLORED.

Alfred Fletcher and wife drove over to Madisonville Sunday evening to attend the funeral of Helen Bishop.

Rev. H. Amos conducted religious services here Sunday at 11 o'clock. We are having a very nice Sunday school now. We meet at 1:30 p. m. Jessie Douglass and family, of St. Charles, have moved here.

Mary Davis and daughter were called here last week to attend the bedside of her sick brother, Tom Davis.

Rev. Douglass preached for us on last Sunday night.

There will be a tacky entertainment given at the school house Saturday night by Corine West and Georgia Hayes. The tackiest lady and the finest dressed lady will receive a prize. Every one is cordially invited. Our judges will be Whitson and James Leavel.

Russell Wilks has a nice graphophone.

Ella Batty and Mrs. Williams were here one day last week visiting friends.

Marion Label and daughter, Matilda, are visiting friends in Hopkinsville at this writing.

QUARTERLY REPORT

OF THE

EARLINGTON BANK

INCORPORATED

At the Close of Business on

The 31st Day of December, 1904.

RESOURCES.

1. Loans and Discounts	\$47,002.50
2. Overdrafts secured	.00
3. Overdrafts unsecured	9.50
4. Due from National Banks & Bankers	1,908.57
5. Due from State Banks & Bankers	21,475.05
6. Due from Trust Companies	.00
7. Banking House and Lot	.00
8. Other Real Estate	.00
9. Mortgages	22,815.83
10. U. S. Bonds	.00
11. Other Stocks and Bonds	4,120.00
12. Specie	763.76
13. Currency	6,000.00
14. Exchange for Clearings	.00
15. Other Items carried as cash	.00
16. Furniture and Fixtures	2,047.78
17. Fund to pay Taxes	.00
18. Current Expenses	779.71
Quarter	549.63
	1,329.54
	\$107,533.02

LIABILITIES.

1. Capital Stock paid in, in cash	\$15,000.00
2. Paid in, in cash	1,000.00
3. Undivided Profits	2,290.27
4. Due Depositors as follows, viz:	
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)	454,338.55
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is paid)	4,509.59
Demand certificates of deposits (on which interest is paid)	30,888.61
Time certificates of deposits (on which interest is paid)	.00
Savings Deposits (on which interest is paid)	.00
Certified Checks	.00
5. Due National Banks	.00
6. Due State Banks and Bankers	.00
7. Due Trust Companies	.00
8. Cashiers' checks outstanding	.00
9. Bills re-discounted	.00
10. Unpaid Dividends	.00
11. Tax on undivided profits	.00
12. Capital Stock not paid	.00
	\$107,533.02

SUPPLEMENTARY.

1. Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of individual members thereof directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in and actual amount of surplus of the bank).....None.

2. How is indebtedness stated in above item 1 secured? (See Section 583, Kentucky Statutes).....None.

3. Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid-up capital stock of bank (See Section 583, Kentucky Statutes).....None.

4. How is same secured?.....None.

5. Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof exceed 30 per cent. of paid-up capital and actual surplus?.....No.

6. If so, state amount of such indebtedness.....None.

7. Amount of last dividend, \$900.00.

8. Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend, carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared? (See Section 583, Kentucky Statutes).....None.

9. How is same secured?.....None.

10. If so, state amount of such indebtedness.....None.

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12. Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend, carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared? (See Section 583, Kentucky Statutes).....None.

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14. If so, state amount of such indebtedness.....None.

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Scene from "The Crisis"

At Morton's Theatre, Tuesday, January 17th.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. *E. W. Brown*
Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, *E. W. Brown*

Cures Croup
in Two Days.
On every
box, 25c.

LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

The new General Manager, Mr. B. M. Starks, accompanied by the fourth vice president, went through here in their special car on No. 51 last Thursday.

J. A. Hindman after firing several months on the Shawnee Branch has returned to his old job as engine watchman at McLeansboro, Ill.

W. A. Stearns, the chief draftsman, of Louisville, was at Howell Sunday.

Last Friday morning 280 on the St. Louis Division ran into the rear end of first section on a sharp curve near McLeansboro, Ill. Engineer Springer and fireman Schimmelman jumped off before the collision occurred, Springer being slightly injured.

Also brakeman Frank Ewers, who was on the engine, and jumped, was slightly injured.

Strangely enough, there was a similar accident on the Henderson Division the same day. As a result of these two accidents engine 972 and 1030 were considerably damaged and have been laid up for repairs.

Fireman C. L. Garrison was in Evansville Monday on business.

Are you reading the "Letters of an Engineer to His Master Mechanic" running in this department. If you like them, tell others about them. If you don't like them, tell us.

Thomas Walsh went to St. Louis on business Monday.

Edward Hender, switch engineer at E. St. Louis, has been off for some time on account of sickness.

Business has suddenly picked up and the men are calling for rest.

J. R. Brown has been transferred from the car department at Howell to the yard as switchman.

L. L. Patterson and William Enlow of Howell were at Madisonville last week attending court.

Frank Sherman, the air brake instructor for the system, was on the division Tuesday.

Warner Campbell, an engineer on the Rio Grande R. R. in Colorado, who lost his life last Sunday morning in a wreck, the engine which he was running having turned over, has many friends in this section, where he began his career as a railroad man.

Letters of an Engineer to His Master Mechanic, No. 11.

Dear Sirs—Well, we had quite a delay at Dunn station today. It was all due to a misunderstanding on the part of the crew.

We had been running so fast to make up time that every box on the train had gotten hot, and we had to take the siding at Dunn station to cool them off.

Conductor Puncnem came up to the engine and said he didn't think it was his place to cool off them boxes, as the company did not expect him to get his hands dirty, and that he thought it was my place. I told him I did not have anything to do with the train more than to pull it, and that if he did not feel disposed to cool them off probably Draggan would do it, but he declared that as trainmaster Rasmussen had told him to be governed, strictly according to rules and as there was nothing in the rules requiring him to cool off hot boxes he didn't think it was up to him to do it.

I asked fireman Skapschul if he thought it was our place to cool them off. He didn't think it was. So we stood pat.

Conductor Puncnem got so hot he actually needed cooling off too.

He said, "We'll go to the depot and send a message to trainmaster Rasmussen and find out whose duty it is!" but the operator was off somewhere playing poker and could not be found to send it.

We chewed the rag around there for more than hour, while it seems the boxes cooled off themselves in less than half that time. I actually think it would be to the interest of the Company to put another conductor on the Lightning Bolt Express.

Yours truly,
S. ARMY KOWATKEER
ENGINEER

L. & N. TIME CARD.

Time of arrival of trains passing through Earlington.
Effective Sunday, Sept. 18.

NORTH BOUND.	
No. 96	11:04 p. m.
No. 92	11:22 a. m.
No. 94	11:32 p. m.
No. 90	6:35 a. m.
No. 98	6:30 a. m.
No. 72	4:20 p. m.
SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 51	4:07 p. m.
No. 53	4:30 a. m.
No. 55	11:04 p. m.
No. 97	4:09 a. m.
No. 69	3:15 p. m.
No. 71	10:15 a. m.

I. C. R. R. TIME CARD.

Time of departure of Illinois Central trains from Nortonville, Ky.

NORTH BOUND.	
No. 102	1:28 p. m.
No. 104	3:51 a. m.
No. 122	local pass. 10:35 a. m.
No. 106	local fr't. 1:35 p. m.
SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 101	4:08 p. m.
No. 103	1:40 a. m.
No. 121	local pass. 10:35 a. m.
No. 105	local fr't. 8:40 a. m.

R. EDWARDS.

SPECIALTY—EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT.

TEST MADE FOR GLASSES.

Phoenix Building, Hopkinsville, Ky.

A SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

Gov. Deane's Daughter, Dorothy, Successfully Operated Upon for Appendicitis at Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Dorothy Deane, the ten-year-old daughter of Gov. Deane, who has been suffering with appendicitis for the past few days, was successfully operated upon Tuesday night. After the operation, attending physicians announced that everything seemed favorable for the recovery of the patient.

Gov. Deane, who was recalled from Springfield Monday night on account of the child's illness, said that he would not return to the state capital until his daughter was out of danger.

In Hands of a Receiver.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 11.—A receiver has been appointed for the Mexican Gulf Commercial Co., a Maine corporation with \$3,000,000 capital, half paid in, as the result of a bill of complaint filed in the federal court against the company by the Fidelity Trust Co.

Twenty Japanese Killed.
London, Jan. 11.—The correspondent at Port Arthur of the Daily Mail says that, on January 8, 20 Japanese were killed by the explosion of a contact mine inside one of the forts, and that two more in the own also exploded.

THE LAND FRAUDS

KEEP BOBBING UP

Montana Follows in the Wake of Oregon and Idaho With a Land Fraud Scandal.

DEMAND FOR AN INVESTIGATION WAS MADE BY SENATOR GIBSON.

The Senator Asserts That Fraudulent Filings Have Been Made by Influential Individuals and Interests on Large Areas of Desert Land.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Montana is now to the fore with a land fraud scandal. The demand for an investigation was made by Senator Gibson in a letter to the general land office.

Special agents have already been sent to Great Falls and other points throughout the state to conduct a preliminary inquiry. The president and Secretary Hitchcock have the charges in hand, and will make a thorough investigation.

Senator Gibson asserts that fraudulent filings have been made by influential individuals and interests on large areas of desert land believed to contain rich copper and other mineral deposits. Various charges made several years ago of timber land frauds are also to be sifted.

Senator Heyburn, who has been mentioned as having acted as counsel for persons accused of connection with the alleged Idaho frauds, absolutely denies having figured in any such capacity. He saw the president in connection with the matter.

"I always disclose my own battle-ground," he said after the interview, "and those who challenge me to combat would do well to be cautious."

"The efforts made to connect my name with the land frauds have no basis whatever. I called the senate's attention to the land swindles being perpetrated in Idaho in a speech a year ago concerning grants to the Northern Pacific."

"I stood ready then and I stand ready now to assist the government in ferreting out the criminals and securing their punishment."

Washington, Jan. 8.—It can be authoritatively announced that reports of the early retirement from the office of Secretary Shaw are entirely unfounded. Mr. Shaw will remain in full possession of his duties until his four-year term will expire.

It is not finally settled that he will not stay longer than that, but in any event he will not stay longer than the end of 1905, as he wishes to devote a year and a half to his campaign for the presidential nomination in 1908.

George B. Cortelyou, who will become postmaster-general March 4 next, has been mentioned as the possible successor of Mr. Shaw. It is most likely that Mr. Cortelyou will be postmaster-general until President Roosevelt retires in 1908.

For a bad taste in the mouth take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25 cents.

For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; B. T. Robinson, Morton Gap; Jno. N. Dalton.

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

The per capita drink bill of the United States is increasing.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Jesse Phillips, the 34 day of January, 1905.

W. H. PHILLIPS, Notary Public.
My commission expires Feb. 14, 1905.

Foley's Honey and Tar
heals lungs and stops the cough.